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Title: **ACTIVE AGENT DELIVERY SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR PROTECTING  
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☐ Non-Profit Organization
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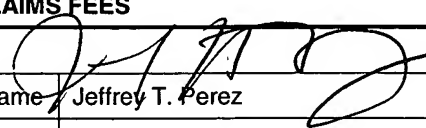
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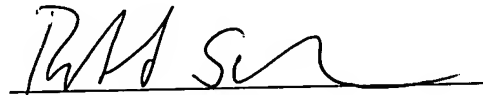
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